

SHELL EGGS: Weekly Shell Egg Inventory (Mon) **Agricultural Marketing Service**

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Weekly Shell Egg Inventory:

Stocks on Hand Available for Marketing (30-dozen cases in thousands) /1 (Includes Conventional and Specialty)

		Northeast	Southeast	Midwest	South Central	Southwest	Northwest	6-Area Total
Jumbo	This Week	8.1	10.7	14.0	11.5	3.6	1.5	49.3
	% Change	16.8%	0.9%	-14.7%	-4.3%	-25.9%	-55.3%	-8.9%
Extra Large	This Week	19.1	20.7	34.6	19.3	26.6	5.0	125.3
	% Change	-19.0%	-14.1%	-24.8%	-0.3%	-15.7%	-30.3%	-17.4%
Large	This Week	37.6	108.7	103.2	109.5	54.9	38.1	452.0
	% Change	-20.3%	5.7%	-17.7%	-1.5%	-10.8%	-30.7%	-10.2%
Medium	This Week	9.3	30.3	31.9	25.4	19.6	14.4	131.0
	% Change	-34.6%	-14.2%	-10.5%	5.7%	-23.5%	3.3%	-12.0%
Small	This Week	7.2	4.5	9.0	4.0	0.2	3.6	28.5
	% Change	31.6%	152.8%	10.1%	29.9%	-26.9%	248.1%	43.9%
Miscellaneous	This Week	4.1	14.3	31.5	14.6	5.2	0.9	70.6
	% Change	-37.3%	13.4%	7.4%	-26.3%	-6.3%	0.0%	-5.5%
Ungraded	This Week	13.3	15.7	87.8	16.0	33.2	21.4	187.5
	% Change	-29.8%	-6.0%	7.5%	-16.7%	17.1%	-1.5%	0.4%
Total Shell Egg		98.6	204.9	312.1	200.2	143.4	84.9	1,044.1
	% Change		0.5%	-9.0%	-4.0%	-9.2%	-17.6%	-8.3%

Totals	Cases	Percent Change	
Shell Egg	1,044.1	-8.3%	
Breaking Stock	348.5	6.8%	
Total Shell Egg	1,392.6	-5.0%	

Specialty Shell Egg Inventory 12

Stocks on Hand to be Marketed as Specialty (30-dozen cases in thousands)

		Northeast	Southeast	Midwest	South Central	Southwest	Northwest	6-Area Total
Large	This Week	16.5	29.2	8.9	5.5	6.3	1.1	67.4
	% Change	23.5%	10.2%	1.9%	14.4%	-11.0%	-0.9%	9.6%
Ungraded	This Week	0.4	1.0	37.6	10.4	24.8	2.2	76.3
	% Change	61.5%	0.0%	-0.1%	-12.1%	9.0%	-75.0%	-7.0%
Total Specialty	y This Week	16.9	30.2	46.5	15.8	31.1	3.2	143.7
	% Change	24.2%	9.9%	0.3%	-4.4%	4.3%	-66.9%	0.2%

Percentage of Specialty Shell Egg Inventory Comprised of USDA Certified Organic:

Large: 28.8% **Ungraded:** 68.7% 50.0% Total:

Regional Definitions: Northeast = CT, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, and VT; Southeast = AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, and WV; Midwest = IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, and WI; South Central = AR, AZ, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX, and UT; Southwest = CA and NV; Northwest = ID, MT, OR, WA, and WY.

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^{1/} Cooperators normally have stocks on hand each Monday A.M. and must report in both the current and previous week. This is a representative sample of the U.S. inventory and includes eggs packed for export when in cooperator's coolers.

^{2/} Specialty eggs include certified organic, nutritionally enhanced, cage-free, and vegetarian-fed types.